

TO THE END

Is the Squabble Between the Church and State.

The French Government and the Catholic Clergy at War.

Six Bishops Deprived of Their Salaries by the Government for Interfering in the Last Elections by Issuing Addresses to the Catholic Electors.

PARIS, May 9.—The government has deprived six bishops of their salaries for interfering in the last elections by issuing addresses to the Roman Catholic electors. This is said to be the beginning of the separation of the church and state in France, and hereafter the policy will be held as the chief feature of the Loubet ministerial program.

The pastoral letters, for the reading of which these bishops are disciplined, instructed Catholic voters that they belonged to the church militant and that the government was carrying on a "double-faced satanic war" against the church, and suggested that nobody was bound by laws which it did not approve.

The stoppage of salaries is denounced by the party of the prelates as a crying outrage on the ground that the payments to the church are an indemnity for the seizure of her property in the revolution, and therefore can not be withheld rightfully by the government.

There is a general feeling that the Loubet ministry is resolved to fight to the end for the complete supremacy of the state, as well as for the separation of the church and state.

The French clergy are said, even by many French Roman Catholics, to be more earnest and radical in their contentions for every jot of the church's rights against the state, than is the Pope himself. As regards the stoppage of salary, moreover, it is said that the clergy might as well, once for all, relinquish all hope of convincing the government that they are other than civil servants, and will get their salaries as such during obedience to the law.

FOR THE LOSS OF AN EYE.

Heavy Damage Suit Against the New York Lebonillier.

NEW YORK, May 9.—James H. Swinerton, the vice president and general manager of the American Strawboard Co. of Chicago, and Mrs. Anne E. Swinerton, his wife, have sued George Lebonillier, who keeps a dry goods store in Fourteenth street, for damages for personal injuries. Mrs. Swinerton alleges that she was in the defendant's store making a purchase, when one of the cash boys snapped a pin into her right eye, completely destroying its sight. The best physicians were employed, but it could not be saved. Eventually it had to be taken out to save the other eye. Mrs. Swinerton's action is for \$50,000 damages for the loss of her eye, her pain and suffering, etc. Mr. Swinerton sues to recover \$25,000 for medical and surgical attendance, surgical appliances, etc., and for the loss of his wife's services.

Against Convict Labor.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—An important bill, designed to prevent the employment on public works of prison or convict labor, or the products of such labor, was reported to the house from the labor committee by Representative Davis. The bill is made effective by the inclusion in it of the following provisions: In all contracts made for the construction or repair of public works there is to be inserted a condition that no convict or prison labor or the product thereof shall be employed or used upon such buildings. The willful violation of the law is to constitute a forfeiture of contract.

A Victim of Alcohol.

CINCINNATI, May 9.—"Old Bill" Dods-worth was found dead in bed at Cummins-ville, Saturday morning. For years he has done nothing but consume whisky. "Old Bill" Dods-worth was aged 50, and was a brother of Caleb Dods-worth, the wealthy Cummins-ville distiller. He has been a character about the streets and saloons of that vicinity for years. Some years ago, before he became a sot, William Dods-worth was a member of the distilling firm and was quite wealthy. He was a large, robust man, of magnificent proportions.

Small-Pox All Over Ohio.

COLUMBUS, O., May 9.—From a letter received by Secretary C. O. Probst, of the state board of health, from the commissioner of immigration at New York, it is learned Ohio has been generously sprinkled with small-pox infected people. Twenty-four of the passengers of the Westernland, arriving on the 4th inst., with varioloid on board, came to this state. These were destined to Cincinnati, Cleveland, Fremont, Orrville, Toledo, Wooster, Akron, Canton, Worcester, Sandusky, Toledo, Dayton and Palestine.

The Two Sisters Out for Blood.

CHICAGO, May 9.—Mrs. Victoria Wood-hull-Martin and pretty Lady Cook, backed up by Mr. Martin, have commenced a libel suit against the Chicago Mail. They claim \$10,000 damages on account of the articles which have appeared in the Mail during the last few days, and which implicated the characters of Mrs. Martin while in Chicago, and of her sister, Tennessee Claffin-Cook, in Cincinnati. Mrs. Martin and Lady Cook declare the reports to be fabrications.

Huganist Dane Guilty of Robbery.

CLEVELAND, O., May 9.—The jury in the case against John Anderson, the Dane, supposed to have many wives, brought in a verdict finding him guilty of stealing \$1,300 from his last victim, Mrs. Ellen Purcell, of St. Louis.

A Boy's Heroic Act.

LOGAN, O., May 9.—A small child belonging to Jacob Nater fell into a cistern and, while men stood around conferring a way to get it out, Charles Hoffenberger's boy jumped in and rescued it.

A NEW ROUTE

For Those Who Would Their Quietus Make—This Man Choked Himself to Death With Smoked Beef.

LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y., May 9.—One of the most remarkable suicides ever committed was that of Joseph Silberg, a bankrupt Hempstead merchant, in Queens county jail. Although but 39 years old and having a wife and four children, the throwing of him in jail on a judgment determined the despairing Hebrew to end his life. In spite of the vigilance of the turnkey and his deputies, Silberg invented a new and surprising mode of exit from this world of debt, which he triumphantly applied. Instead of eating the smoked beef brought to his cell, he carried it into the bathroom, where, having the privilege of the corridor, he went about 1:30 o'clock. Strapping his feet together at the ankles, and also tying his wrists with a handkerchief, he sat bolt upright on the floor. While in this position he managed to stuff his mouth full of the smoked beef. In this way he choked himself to death. The jailer was startled at beholding the dead debtor stretched out on the floor, and was puzzled at first to know how he had shuffled off his mortal coil. But all became clear when Coroner Meiners had to use a penknife to remove the meat.

DAMAGE SUIT IN ORDER.

Mrs. Robinson, of Chicago, Wrongfully Imprisoned As a Forger.

CHICAGO, May 9.—A glaring piece of oppression in office was revealed in the police court here when Mrs. Etta Robinson was brought up for examination. The police of Elmira, N. Y., have been hunting for Miss Ella C. White, an alleged forger, of that place. Some days ago Mr. J. C. Newton, who says he knows the White woman, met Mrs. Robinson and informed the police that the much wanted Miss White was Mrs. Robinson. Mrs. Robinson was arrested and kept under surveillance, so the police say, but she claims she was locked up and ill treated. Finally Mr. G. P. Norman, cashier of the Second National bank of Elmira, came to this city and identified Etta Robinson as Ella C. White. When the case came up in the police court Mrs. Robinson proved that she is not Miss White, and the judge discharged the prisoner. Her friends are very indignant at the police for their share in bringing about the incarceration and subsequent abuse of Mrs. Robinson.

A BIG CONTRACT

For the Manufacture of Type-Setting Machines.

CHICAGO, May 9.—Fifteen million dollars' worth of type-setting machines will be manufactured in Chicago during the next three years by a single firm. This very remarkable contract has just been completed. It has caused a little stir among the makers of machinery in this city, who have chanced to learn its terms. The Webster Manufacturing Co. is to make this enormous quantity of complex machinery. The Paige Type-setting Machinery Co., owner of the Paige Compositor, as the type-setting machine is called, is the other party to the contract.

Murderer Hanged.

CANON CITY, Col., May 9.—Thomas Lawson, the murderer of John Hemming, the Colorado Springs motorer, suffered the penalty of his crime. Lawson showed signs of weakness and as the time for the execution drew near broke down completely. He refused to be comforted, and spent the time in wailing and moaning over his fate. It was just 10:19 o'clock when Lawson stepped upon the platform which started the automatic machinery and a minute later he was dangling in the air. Nothing is known as to his family. He died without revealing his real name or his family's whereabouts.

Farmers to Build Elevators.

GRAND FORKS, N. D., May 9.—Thos. Ulven, secretary of the Northwestern Farmers' Protective association has secured from the Northern Pacific officers an agreement to lease the association right of way for the erection of elevator warehouses or platforms, or to lease existing warehouses and platforms to the association on conditions which have been agreed to. The Great Northern officials have signified their willingness to make a similar concession.

The P. M. Is Powerful.

EFFINGHAM, Ill., May 9.—The Effingham Democrat was excluded from the mails by Postmaster Lay because it contained a report of a Catholic fair held here last week, in which various prizes were awarded by vote, the postmaster claiming that the articles containing the report is a violation of the anti-lottery law. The action of the postmaster has created quite a sensation here.

Killed His Own Child.

ERLANGER, Ky., May 9.—At this place Saturday morning, Maj. Hendrix, a Tennessee Negro, killed his own child, aged four months, and severely wounded Mrs. Gilmore, a colored woman who interfered in behalf of the child. Officers are scouring the country for the culprit, who has taken to the woods.

Rich Society Man to Hang.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Howard Schneider, the rich young society man, was sentenced in the district criminal court to hang January 22, 1893. Schneider brutally shot down his wife and brother-in-law. When the death sentence was passed the prisoner cursed the court and attempted to brain the district attorney.

Safe Blown Open.

NICHOLASVILLE, Ky., May 9.—The safe of the Star Milling Co. was blown open and \$100 taken. The robbers are supposed to have come on a midnight train from Cincinnati, thinking they would get a large amount.

Hurled to Death.

CINCINNATI, May 9.—Elizabeth Rickets, aged 42 years, was struck by a train at North Bend Saturday morning and instantly killed, while picking coal from the railroad track. She was hurled fully twenty feet.

A DELUGE,

And Following in Its Wake Comes the Flood.

Western Missouri and Eastern Kansas Converted Into a Vast Lake.

A Patch of Land Shows Up Here and There—The Flood Came So Suddenly That the Farmers Had No Time to Prepare for It.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 9.—The past twenty-four hours have furnished the climax for all the rainy weather of this spring. A heavy downpour of water has been falling all day Sunday and since mid-night Saturday night, so that the already soaked ground has been giving off the water into the swollen creeks and streams. The result is that accounts have been coming in from all over western Missouri and eastern Kansas, telling of flooded rivers, overflowed creeks and streams, of some localities the towns have been flooded, and some damage is reported to dwellings by having their foundations washed out. The floods came so suddenly in other districts that the farmers had no time to prepare for it, and much of their stock has been drowned and washed away. Growing crops have been badly damaged, and thousands of fields will have to be replanted.

In Saline County, Mo., all the streams are reported out of their banks, and the whole county has been turned into a lake. Some houses have been washed away, and much stock has been lost. Along the Platte river and the One Hundred and Two river the whole country has been inundated, and houses and barns have been destroyed. In Livingston, Grundy and Mercer counties the Grand river and its forks have flooded the whole country and the district from Chillicothe to the Iowa line is one sea of water. All the crops have been washed out for miles throughout the Grand river valley, and much stock has been lost. All the railroads in the district have been more or less damaged, and traffic is greatly delayed, and, in some cases, has been abandoned altogether. The Wabash bridge here has been strained out of line, so that no trains can pass over.

In Oklahoma territory, a steady, pouring rain has been falling for twenty-four hours, and the streams in the territory are out of their banks. Many bridges have been washed away. Nearly all the overland mails have been abandoned. The Santa Fe has suffered several washouts, and trains are badly delayed. A small tornado accompanied the rain north of Guthrie and did considerable damage. The houses of John Davis, Henry Smith and John Crockett were carried some distance by the wind and badly damaged. Many barns and other buildings were destroyed. There was no loss of life so far as known.

All the trains from every direction, with the exception of the Rock Island and Union Pacific from the west, are late in arriving in this city. All are delayed by unsafe bridges, landslides or washouts. The rain continued to-night with unabated steadiness. The Missouri river, which is very high for this season of the year, is rising rapidly, and there is much apprehension lest the steady pour of water into it from its tributaries will cause it to go on the rampage and increase the already heavy damages by floods.

To the Oil to Chicago.

PORTLAND, Ind., May 9.—It is reported here that a wealthy syndicate, composed of New York, Chicago and Indianapolis capitalists, will secure oil territory in this county and build pipe lines to carry it to Indianapolis and Chicago, the oil to be used by mills in those cities for fuel. The Chicago line will pass through Logansport and supply that city.

Neck Broken by a Brick.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 9.—Pinkey Marks, a tough, went into an Italian tenement house on Ninth avenue and raised a fight. He defended himself with an ax and the Italians used bricks. Joe Paile, one of the Italians, was trying to effect a settlement, when his neck was broken by a flying brick, death ensuing in a few minutes. No one can be found who saw the missile thrown.

Great Pedagogical Gathering.

MASON CITY, Ia., May 9.—Arrangements have been completed for a big educational meeting to be held at Clear Lake May 26. Five thousand teachers are expected to participate in it. Prominent among them will be A. G. Linn, superintendent of city schools; State Superintendent Wells, of Wisconsin; State Superintendent Kiehle, of Minnesota, and State Superintendent Knoepfer, of Iowa.

Young Girl Fatally Burned.

CINCINNATI, May 9.—Alvina Hennekes, aged 15, daughter of Patrolman Hennekes, of the Bremen street station, was fatally burned about noon Saturday. Alvina was aiding her mother in preparing dinner when her apron in some way was blown against a hot stove setting fire to her clothing. Her mother tried to extinguish the blaze but in vain.

The Holy Rose.

ROME, May 9.—The holy rose, which the pope bestows every year upon some Roman Catholic princess "for virtue," fell this year to the queen of Portugal. The estimated value of the jewel is 50,000 francs.

Hanged By the Mob.

QUETMAN, Miss., May 9.—News has reached here of the lynching at Butler, Choctaw county, of George H. Ross, colored, for an attempted assault on a white woman. Ross was hanged to a tree.

Tennessee Republicans.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 9.—Delegates at large to Minneapolis: D. A. Dunn, John C. Hook, H. Clay Evans and J. C. Napier. For governor, George W. Winstead. Uninstructed.

HE LOVED HER,

But She Was Not an Advocate of Reciprocity, and the Rich Lawyer Goes Crazy.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 9.—The queer antics of a wealthy Iowa lawyer are puzzling the police and detectives of this city. Miss Ethel Johnson, daughter of Ex-Congress Treasurer Johnson, resides with her mother in a fashionable part of the city. A year ago she went to Iowa, where she met the wealthy lawyer in question. Iowa proposed marriage, but was rejected. Miss Johnson returned home in due time. Since then she has been subjected to all kinds of petty annoyances. The western lawyer came to Wilkesbarre, wrote anonymous letters to the lady and disguised as a woman followed her on the street. Friday evening, while Miss Johnson was alone in her house, the lawyer, disguised as a female book agent, attempted to assassinate her. Her screams brought assistance, but the man escaped. The whole city is worked up over the affair. Sunday night the Johnson family offered \$500 reward for the man's capture.

JAPANESE EARTHQUAKE.

Great Destruction Done by a Recent Shock—A Fire Disaster—French and Tongueless Fighting.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—The steamship City of Paris arrived Sunday, twenty-two days from Hong Kong, and fifteen from Yokohama. Further accounts of the recent earthquake at Mitana show that there was considerable damage done throughout the island. In some towns all the churches and colleges were destroyed. A great fire in Nishing destroyed two thousand houses, and a number of people were killed. News from Tonquin states that on March 26 the French troops had a severe fight with the natives. A number of the native forts were captured, but it is not known how many natives were killed.

Horrible Suicide.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 9.—Chas. Tanetia, stevedore, plunged into the furnace of the tug Governor Irwin and roasted himself to death. Shortly before dark Tanetia tried to jump into the bay from the dock, but was restrained. He asked permission to go into the Irwin's fire-room and warm himself. Before the engineer could catch him his body was crackling on the bed of red-hot coals. With the furnace tongs the suicides body was drawn out. He was still alive, but horribly burned, and in a few minutes was dead. No cause for the suicide is known except that he was drunk and despondent.

Dam at Goshen Hurts.

GOSHEN, Ind., May 9.—The big dam south of the city, erected in 1860, and belonging to the Hydraulic Co., went out Saturday night at midnight, flooding the country as far as Elkhart. The floods had subsided about two feet, and all damage was thought to be past, but the deadly under current from below the dam got in its dread work. The dam, which originally cost between \$15,000 and \$20,000, will be immediately rebuilt.

China's Revenue.

NEW YORK, May 9.—A Washington correspondent telegraphs his paper thus: "I am assured upon the highest authority that there is no likelihood that the Pekin government will sever its commercial or diplomatic relations with the United States, but it is not improbable that the American missionaries in China may have some of their privileges abridged and have certain petty annoyances practiced upon them."

Murder on a Sacred Day and Occasion.

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn., May 9.—At a colored baptizing at Cherry's Station, three miles from Clarksville, Sunday evening, John Coleman and Thornton Johnson, both colored, became involved in a difficulty, when Johnson shot and killed Coleman. Johnson took to the woods, and has not as yet been captured. They both were supposed to be under the influence of liquor.

A Jailer Arrested.

LONDON, Ky., May 9.—Jailer D. H. Lorill, of this county, was arrested Sunday evening upon a warrant from Jackson county charging him with the murder of John Parrett, who broke jail here a few nights since and was re-arrested in Jackson county Friday evening. Lorill claims the killing was accidental.

A Peculiar Fatality.

PARAGUAY, Ark., May 9.—At Greenwood, Ark., Ezra Abbott, a promising young man, was in Litter's stove factory, near a stove edger, when a piece was split off from a stove by the machine and hurled with violent force edgewise, striking him near the heart, going almost through him and killing him instantly.

Capt. Bogardus Defeated.

ST. LOUIS, May 9.—Capt. Bogardus, who at one time held the title of champion wing shot of the world, and W. T. Rexroat, of Illinois, shot a live bird match at Compton avenue park. Each man shot at seventy-five pigeons, and Rexroat succeeded in stopping sixty-five, Bogardus scoring but sixty-four.

Shipload of Chinese, Japs and Smallpox.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—The steamer City of Peking, which arrived from Yokohama and Hong Kong Sunday, with several hundred Chinese and Japanese, was placed in quarantine, as there is smallpox on board.

Prominent Merchant Kills Another.

UTICA, Miss., May 9.—In an altercation between W. P. Colbert and Cicero Harley, the former was shot to death by the latter. The men were both prominent merchants of Utica. The murderer is under arrest.

Ingalls Going to Europe.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 9.—Ex-Senator John J. Ingalls will make his European tour directly after the Minneapolis convention. He says he will return in time to participate in the presidential campaign.

Buying Kentucky Distilleries.

NEW YORK, May 9.—It is reported here that Nathan Hoffheimer is at Louisville, negotiating on behalf of an English syndicate for the purchase of all distilleries in Kentucky.

A TRAGEDY.

Fifty Negro Crap Shooters Attempt to Murder

Sim Cummins, a Witness Against Them in Charleston, W. Va.

He Shoots Three of Them and Escapes the Rest, Who Chase Him a Mile and a Half to Lynch Him—A Narrow Escape—Cummins Under Arrest.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., May 9.—In a negro crap den Sunday afternoon Sim Cummins, of Hale, Webster county, shot Simon Preston in the head, George Hill in the hand, and Jim Easter in the leg.

Cummins is here as a witness before the Federal court, and runners for a negro crap-house got him into a game and after winning his money, \$2.50, attacked him and badly bruised him with beer bottles, about the head and breast.

About fifty men were engaged in the game, and Cummins, in order to protect himself, began shooting, and when the smoke cleared away, the wounded were counted as named. Cummins succeeded in reaching the street, when a general chase after him resulted. He ran about a mile and a half, and fell, and was arrested and placed in jail. A mob of Negroes were after him, and had it not been that the officers got him, there would have been a lynching. When he was brought to the jail, a large crowd of Negroes surrounded the officers, and at one time took him, but prompt action on the part of the officers prevented further trouble.

Two of an Outing Party Drowned.

CINCINNATI, May 9.—The outing of the U. S. Express Co. Employees' Benevolent Association, No. 3, of this city, at Woodside Island, had a most terrible and deplorable ending. Two young girls, full of life and happiness, met a death most unexpected and tragic. Their bodies were carried away by the waves of the Big Miami, and they sleep the last sleep upon the cold bosom of the waters. Katie Clark, Alice Lawer and Lizzie Tenhundfeld, laundry girls, employed at Mund's hotel, together with John Bohan, in the evening were out skiff riding. Approaching too near the falls, the skiff became unmanageable and the frail craft went over and the Clark and Lawer girls were drowned. Bohan and Miss Tenhundfeld succeeded in reaching shore.

A Suicide Without a Parallel for Years.

CINCINNATI, May 9.—Miss Lizzie Rice, aged 25 years, highly educated, beautiful and a daughter of one of the wealthiest farmers of Boone county, committed suicide Sunday. She went to the orchard and after saturating her clothing with coal-oil applied a match and was soon enveloped in flames. Though outwardly burned to a crisp the heartbeats of the victim continued for two hours and other indications proved that she was conscious for that length of time. Miss Rice's father suicided in a similar manner a little over a year ago at Hebron, Ky.

Another Bomb Explosion.

VINNA, May 9.—The residence of a district notary named Papp, in Versecz, Hungary, was wrecked Sunday by a dynamite explosion. The roof of the dwelling was blown bodily into the air, and the windows of all buildings in the vicinity were shattered. It is supposed that the motive of the perpetrator or perpetrators was revenge. A Roumanian has been arrested on suspicion of being connected with the affair.

With Pleasure Baron de Fava Returns.

PARIS, May 9.—Baron de Fava, the Italian minister to the United States, was seen by the Associated Press representative while he was passing through Paris en route to Southampton to take the steamer for New York. Baron de Fava said that he desired it to be made known in the United States that he returned to his post with great pleasure.

Gen. W. G. Halpin Dead.

CINCINNATI, May 9.—Gen. Wm. G. Halpin, soldier and Irish patriot, died Sunday evening. Gen. Halpin, at the time of his death, was 70 years of age, and, during his eventful and almost romantic life, won for himself a national and imperishable reputation by his active and untiring efforts in behalf of Ireland, the land of his birth.

Ball Games on Sunday.

(Baltimore) 5 (Cleveland) 3
(Cincinnati) 4 (St. Louis) 3
(Louisville) 8
(Washington) 3
(Omaha) 6 (Memphis) 10
(Toledo) 2 (Milwaukee) 9
(Indianapolis) 3 (Columbus) 2
(St. Paul) 0 (Kansas City) 2

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—For West Virginia and Ohio—Generally fair, followed in western Ohio by showers; north winds.

For lower Michigan—Fair, followed by showers in extreme southwest; north-east winds.

Sixteen Inches of Snow.

RUSHVILLE, May 9.—Snow has fallen here during the past thirty-eight hours to a depth of sixteen inches. It will be severe on cattle in the Sand hills, and will retard farm work. About three-fourths of the small grain is in, and the first sown is up and looks fine.

Slipped By Jack Frost.

ZANESVILLE, O., May 9.—The thermometer dropped to 32 degrees in this region Saturday night, and owing to the heavy frost grave apprehensions are felt for the safety of the fruit crop, which up to this time has made a most promising showing.

Half-Million Dollar Fire.

LUDINGTON, Mich., May 9.—The mill and salt works of the Butlers & Peters Salt and Lumber Co. burned between 11 a. m. and 2 p. m. Sunday. It cost about \$5,000. Five hundred men are thrown out of employment.

Fell Dead While Reading a Paper.

HOKKINSVILLE, Ky., May 9.—William Henry dropped dead of heart disease, at his home in this county, while sitting reading a paper.

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

The Viennese cabmen's strike was declared off Sunday.

A snow storm fell in Hungary and the Tyrol and continued through the day and night. The mountain passes are blocked.

It is doubtful whether James Anthony Froude will accept the professorship of history at Oxford University, recently offered to him.

Mr. Markle, one of the richest citizens of Defiance, O., was drowned in front of his home to-day, a creek having overflowed the road.

Harmless "infernal machines" are found daily in various French towns. Many of them are probably the work of practical jokers.

Dr. Vaughan, the new archbishop of Westminster, was enthroned in the pro-cathedral Sunday. The youthful Lord O'Hagan and his brother were train-bearers.

Two slight earthquake shocks were felt at San Remo, France, Sunday morning. The shocks caused no damage, and no alarm was excited among the inhabitants.

Scott's oyster bar, in Coventry street, London, was burned Sunday night. Four corpses have been taken from the ruins, and it is feared there are more under the debris.

A large barn belonging to the society of Shakers, near Franklin, Ky., was struck by lightning and burned to the ground, together with the contents, including a lot of mules.

The Mississippi river at Keokuk is now at the extreme high water mark. All the low lands are submerged and much damage has been done. A disastrous flood is looked for.

The circuit court refused to suspend the sentence of W. J. Elliott, of Columbus, O., who was convicted in the Franklin county common pleas court of manslaughter, for the killing of Osborn.

Owing to the high water of the Mississippi river, on the Missouri shore, opposite Warsaw, Ill., the St. Louis Keokuk and North-western railroad has abandoned trains between Quincy and Keokuk.

At Berlin a sensation has been caused in business circles by the suicide of Victor Jaegerstrom, chief member of a noted commission firm, and the attempted suicide of his brother. No cause is assigned.

Special dispatches from several points in Iowa state that delegates elected in district conventions have been instructed to vote for delegates at the state convention who will pledge themselves to work for the nomination of Gov. Boies for president.

Charles H. Kirkwood, a pioneer and prominent business man, of Ishpeming, Mich., fell from the front platform of a rapidly moving electric car coming from Regeance. Both his legs were cut off above the knee. Kirkwood was instantly killed by the electric current. He leaves a family and a large estate.

The quarantine against Brazilian ports has been removed. The Brazilian river squadron, en route to the state of Matto Grosso, has arrived at Montevideo. It is alleged that the revolutionists there are completely demoralized and their troops have refused to fight against the government forces.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, May 9.

WHEAT—Winter patent, 4.30; 4.40; fancy, 4.00; 4.10; family, 3.25; 3.35; extra, 2.90; 3.25; low, 2.10; 2.20; 2.30; spring patent, 4.40; 4.50; spring, 4.10; 4.20; 4.30; 4.40; 4.50; 4.60; 4.70; 4.80; 4.90; 5.00; 5.10; 5.20; 5.30; 5.40; 5.50; 5.60; 5.70; 5.80; 5.90; 6.00; 6.10; 6.20; 6.30; 6.40; 6.50; 6.60; 6.70; 6.80; 6.90; 7.00; 7.10; 7.20; 7.30; 7.40; 7.50; 7.60; 7.70; 7.80; 7.90; 8.00; 8.10; 8.20; 8.30; 8.40; 8.50; 8.60; 8.70; 8.80; 8.90; 9.00; 9.10; 9.20; 9.30; 9.40; 9.50; 9.60; 9.70; 9.80; 9.90; 10.00; 10.10; 10.20; 10.30; 10.40; 10.50; 10.60; 10.70; 10.80; 10.90; 11.00; 11.10; 11.20; 11.30; 11.40; 11.50; 11.60; 11.70; 11.80; 11.90; 12.00; 12.10; 12.20; 12.30; 12.40; 12.50; 12.60; 12.70; 12.80; 12.90; 13.00; 13.10; 13.20; 13.30; 13.40; 13.50; 13.60; 13.70; 13.80; 13.90; 14.00; 14.10; 14.20; 14.30; 14.40; 14.50; 14.60; 14.70; 14.80; 14.90; 15.00; 15.10; 15.20; 15.30; 15